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the endeavors of Senator Thompson. I live this life. Over the years, I had to deal with many health issues with students. If we can find the parents, the administration, teachers, and the student wanting to do this, that's the way it should be done. So needless to say, I totally support this. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Pahls. Senator Price.

SENATOR PRICE: Excuse me, Senator Cudaback and members of the body. I am very supportive of the amendment, Senator Thompson's amendment, and the committee amendment. I know any time that our students are involved with a medical situation in our schools, there's always that concern about liability if something should happen. These young children will not be carrying needles, they will not be carrying vials of insulin. They will be carrying a monitor. And ever so subtle, you know, when they're not feeling correctly, you know, whether they're in the presence of a playground supervisor or in their classroom, they can pull out this small little box and they can just check That's just being proactive instead of their blood level. reactive. If there's something that needs to be done, they can address, you know, a low sugar level or a high sugar level. I'm just amazed how these young people have become so aware of their own situation. There's more and more juvenile diabetics out there and we want them to be responsible as to sit there like they are not aware of their disease and have somebody else watch for them to go into a reaction. And so this is just part of being responsibility (sic). I understand the concern with the schools' liabilities, and I'm sure in businesses there is a concern, too, when people have medical conditions. But today we're addressing students in our schools and I am supportive of the legislation and I think it's time we addressed this. Thank you, Senator Thompson. Thank you, Senator Cudaback.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Price. Further discussion? Senator Thompson, there are no further lights on. You're recognized to close.

SENATOR THOMPSON: The first amendment is a technical amendment, and I ask your support. Thank you.